

**Master Study Resolution Priority Items
2013 Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice
Interim Committee**

Name (optional)

*Committee members may prioritize preferences with
number 1 being the highest priority and number 14 being the lowest.*

NAME OF STUDY	PRIORITY
118 Gateway and Softcore Pornography Law - to study whether Utah should have a law protecting children from soft core and gateway pornography. (Weiler)	
130 Sex Offender Registration Amendments - to study changes to statutes governing sex offenders. (Ray)	
131 Bicycle Helmet Law - to study whether Utah should have a mandatory helmet law for children under the age of 18 who ride bicycles. (Weiler)	
132 Bureau of Criminal Identification Amendments - to study whether to require the Bureau of Criminal Identification to make certain information relating to whether a person may possess a firearm available through computerized inquiry to a criminal justice agency (H.B. 406). (Perry)	
133 Competition with Private Security Companies - to study whether law enforcement officers should be restricted from competing with private security companies. (Weiler)	
134 Disabled Law Enforcement Officer - to study ways to provide disability benefits to law enforcement officers similar to those currently provided to firefighters. (Perry)	
135 Drones - to study the use of drones against United States citizens. (H. Stephenson)	
136 Drug Testing at Pedestrian Accident Scenes - to study potential changes to statute requiring law enforcement to conduct enhanced investigation and drug testing at accident scenes where a pedestrian was hit and emergency medical services were activated. (Lockhart)	

137 Internet Sales of Nicotine Products - to study the sale, by mail order via the Internet, of nicotine products. (Ray)	
138 Safety Belt Amendments - to study in what circumstances a state or local law enforcement officer may take action to enforce safety belt laws, and what those actions may be (S.B. 114). (Robles)	
139 Salary Comparison - to study a Utah Highway Patrol salary comparison. (Greenwood)	
140 Scienter in Criminal Statutes and Sentencing Guidelines - to study and review Utah criminal statutes and sentencing guidelines for lack of scienter. For example, an enhancement based on the use of a stolen gun does not require the defendant to know it was stolen. (Tanner)	
141 Statewide Access to Law Enforcement Records - to study how to establish a system that ensures that law enforcement agency records systems in Utah are able to share information with other law enforcement agencies within the state, including information relating to drug and gang activity. (Ray)	
Study the use of electronically-filed citations for certain criminal code violations (Wheatley)	

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